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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION

This is a Response to the Requirement for Election/Restriction mailed on March 31, 2010 for the above-identified application.

The Applicant hereby restricts the above-identified application to Group I, namely claims 1–3, 6–11, and 23–28.

Respectfully submitted,

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